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MANAGING MULTI-  
JURISDICTIONAL PROPERTY  
TAX INFORMATION

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**RESPONSE**

Applicant submits this Response is in response to the communication from the Office dated March 3, 2003. A shortened statutory period for response of three months was set. With this Response, Applicant has submitted a Petition for Extension of Time requesting a three-month extension of the due date to September 3, 2003, and payment of the required fee. Therefore, this Response is timely.

**Remarks**

Claims 1-26 are pending in the application, with claims 1, 10 and 19 being the only independent claims.

**Overview**

Applicants' invention provides a novel system and method for managing property tax information for a plurality of real estate parcels. The system and method can address the needs